

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COMMISSION DIRECTIVE**

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTER

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DATE

May 29, 2019

MOTOR CARRIER MATTER

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DOCKET NO.

2019-127-E

UTILITIES MATTER

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ORDER NO.

**THIS DIRECTIVE SHALL NOT SERVE AS THE COMMISSION'S ORDER ON THIS ISSUE;
SUCH ORDER SHALL BE ISSUED AS WRITTEN ORDER NO. 2019-396**

SUBJECT:

DOCKET NO. 2019-127-E - Joint Petition of Fairfield Electric Cooperative, Incorporated; Newberry Electric Cooperative, Incorporated; Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Incorporated, and South Carolina Electric & Gas Company for the Assignment and Reassignment of Territory in Fairfield, Kershaw and Richland Counties and Approval of Agreements to Limit Corridor Rights - Staff Presents for Commission Consideration the Joint Petition of Fairfield Electric Cooperative, Incorporated; Newberry Electric Cooperative, Incorporated; Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Incorporated, and South Carolina Electric & Gas Company for the Assignment and Reassignment of Territory in Fairfield, Kershaw and Richland Counties and Approval of Agreements to Limit Corridor Rights.

COMMISSION ACTION:

Pursuant to the Territorial Assignment Act, S.C. Code Ann. §§ 58-27-610 to 690, Fairfield Electric Cooperative, Inc., Newberry Electric Cooperative, Inc., Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Inc., and South Carolina Electric & Gas Company are jointly petitioning for assignment and reassignment of certain territory in Fairfield, Kershaw, and Richland Counties. Joint petitioners also seek approval of agreements to eliminate "corridor rights" in the specified areas. Petitioners assert that no customers will be affected by the Petition.

Joint Petitioners maintain this assignment, reassignment, and elimination of corridor rights will allow the utilities to avoid wasteful duplication of electric distribution lines and appurtenant facilities and to better operate their systems safely.

The Office of Regulatory Staff recommends approval.

I move we grant the realignment due to increasing efficiencies for the utilities' customers. The parties are instructed to provide a proposed order.

PRESIDING: RandallSESSION: Regular

TIME: 2:00 p.m.

	MOTION	YES	NO	OTHER
BELSER	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
ERVIN	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
HAMILTON	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

HOWARD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
RANDALL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
WHITFIELD	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
WILLIAMS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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RECORDED BY: J. Schmieding